

a blow where the armor of the organization is weakest.

The umpire question is one on which the Feds have been silent up to now. It is an important question. To attract fans the newcomers must provide clean sport, without any dragging or unnecessary loafing.

They must see that the rules are rigidly adhered to, and that the players do not pull any riots on the field, such as occurred in Cincinnati last year.

To insure this exemplary conduct, they must have competent arbiters, though not necessarily dictators. And



Runt Walsh, Former Utility Man of the Phillies, Who Is Being Sought by Baltimore Federals.